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APPLICATION NO.: 10/586,297 | CONFIRM. NO.: 4116
FILING DATE: July 13, 2006 | ART UNIT: 4137
TITLE OF INVENTION: | EXAMINER: J. K. WOOD
Cellular Wheel Sluice

MS AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

July 8, 2009

Honorable Commissioner:

- 1) For filing in the above application, we are enclosing:
- a) Response (29 pages) to the Office Action of January 8, 2009;
 - b) Term Extension Request; and
 - c) Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038).

- 2) An additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

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